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Claims

We claim:

1. A system for storing information comprising:
 - a network of computers including the Internet;
 - a first web-based client at a first location connected to said network, said first client comprising:
 - an input for receiving patient information; and
 - an output for transmitting said patient information over said network;
 - a web server at a second location, said web server being connected to said network and receiving said patient information;
 - a database server storing said patient information and being directly connected to said web server.
2. The system according to claim 1, wherein in response to a request from said client, said database server provides at least some of said patient information to said web server for forwarding to said client.
3. The system according to claim 2, wherein the amount of said patient information is determined by at least one of a level of permissions granted to said client and the amount of said patient information currently stored in said database server.
4. The system according to claim 1, further comprising:
 - a second client at a third location, said second client connected to said network,
 - wherein said second client is able to obtain and/or update at least some of said patient information.

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5. The system according to claim 4, wherein said first client provides a permission for said second client to obtain and/or update at least some of said patient information.

6. The system according to claim 5, wherein said permission is a referral regarding said second client.

7. The system according to claim 5, further comprising:
a third client, said third client having been permitted to obtain said patient information,
wherein the amount of patient information obtainable by said third client is different from the amount of information obtainable by said second client.

8. A web-based client connected to a network of computers including the Internet, said network connected to a web server, said web server connected directly to a database server, said web based client comprising:

an input for receiving patient information; and,
an output for transmitting said patient information to database across said network,
wherein said database server stores said patient information and provides access to said patient information to at least another client.

9. A method of processing patient information on a web-based client comprising the steps of:

designating a patient;
designating a type of information to be associated with said patient;
transmitting said designations over the Internet to a remote web server which is directly connected to a database server;

receiving a form for receiving said type of information;

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populating said form;

transmitting at least the information populated on said form to said remote web server, which forwards the information to said database server.

10. The method according to claim 9, further comprising the steps of:

transmitting a permission regarding said patient and a remote client to said database server,

wherein said remote client may obtain at least some of said information to be associated with said patient.

11. The method according to claim 9, wherein said form relates to a first module of information to be stored on said remote database, and wherein said method further comprises:

receiving a second form from said remote database server, said second form relates to a second module of information.

12. A system for storing information from a web-based client at a first location that receives patient information and outputs the information to a network including the Internet, said system comprising:

a web server at a second location, said web server being connected to said network and receiving said patient information;

a database server storing said patient information, said database server being directly connected to said web server.

13. The system according to claim 12, wherein in response to a request from said client, said database server provides at least some of said patient information to said web server for forwarding to said client.

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14. The system according to claim 13, wherein the amount of said patient information is determined by at least one of a level of permissions granted to said client and the amount of said patient information currently stored in said database server.

15. The system according to claim 12, wherein said database server receives a permission for a second client at a third location to obtain and/or update at least some of said patient information.

16. The system according to claim 15, wherein said permission is a referral regarding said second client.

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